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Technology Center/Art Unit: 2876

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For: METHOD FOR RECONCILING A FINANCIAL ACCOUNT FROM A PORTABLE ACCOUNT REGISTER

(as amended)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Customer No.: 20350

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed July 13, 2005, please enter the

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following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.